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File No. 158-49

Previous References.

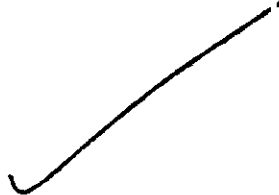
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CB 119-49-1 (cc. 12-49-50)
CB 536-48-1.

Later References.

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

Serial Nos. 1



Part B for Sept-49

SUBJECT

Representation of Sri T. Channabasa-
nappa. B.A. U.B. 1881 - Seeserang to
Govt.

Representation of Sri. T. Channabasappa,
Asst. Secy to Govt. (S. R. Branch).

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C.B.

Representation dated 4.5.49 from Sri.
T. Channabasappa, Asst. Secy Rev. Branch
requesting that his tenure of appointment
may be changed to S.P.T. and ^{that he may be} permitted
to draw the minimum pay of Rs 300/- and
that he may be granted a duty allowance
of Rs 50/p.m. for the additional work of
H.R.C. and War Sections.

(1) Chief Secy's Note on it.

please put up previous and connected
papers and the papers we received from
trial Secy. Sd/- K.S. 14/5 -

Further representation dated 13.6.49
from Sri. Channabasappa, requesting
that he may be permitted to draw the
allowance of Rs 50/p.m. allowed for the
work of Capital Issues Committee.

(2) Chief Secy's Note on it.

please work up early together
with previous papers if any.
Sd/- K.S. 14/6.

Further representation dated 2.7.49 from
Sri. Channabasappa, Asst Secy S.R. Branch,
regarding his previous representation.

Representation of Sri. T. Channabasappa
Asst. Secy to Govt., ~~First Branch~~ ^{S.R. Branch}

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issue of capital and also that relating to
the appointment of Sri Narayana Setti as
Asst. Secy to Govt., Rev. Dept. Early.

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8/7/49.

Submitted

10 C.B. file no. 131-481 relating to the
appointment of Sri. Narayana Setti as Secy to
the Committee for the issue of capital is placed below.

Representations
dated 2-5-49
and 2-7-49
are placed
below.

11. The file relating to the Transfer of
Sri. Channabasappa as Asst. Secy to Govt. S.R. Branch
has been submitted to the Minr for Rev and
the same has not been received.

12. Submitted with reference to para 9 supra.

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13) Extract of the Mtr from the file L
bearing D. No. 5915 ^{C.B.} leading to the
Transfer of Sri. Channabasappa as
Asst. Secy S.R. Branch is placed below.

For
11.7.49.

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For
26.7.49

14) The requests of Sri T. Channabasappa
Asst. Secy to Govt., S.R. Branch, are
the following :-

(1) That the tenure of his appointment as
Asst. Secy to Govt., may be changed from
"Ag" to "S.P.S"

(2) That the work relating to the

"The Capital Issue Committee may be"
transferred to him and that the
may be allowed to draw the allowance
of Rs 50/- pm. sanctioned for this work
(3) That an allowance of Rs 50/- pm. ^{may be}
sanctioned for attending ^{the} work of the Horse Race Control and
War Sections in the Rev. Branch.

15) Re: (1) order have since since
changing the tenure of appointment of
Sri S. Channabasavappa as Joint Secy to Govt.
from "Ag" to "S. P. J." in effect from 28-8-48,
in Govt. notification no. 331/CB. 29-49-1 dated
13th July 1949. No further action is ^{therefore} called
for on his request.

Re: (2)

16) The Joint Secy to Govt., Fin. Dept.
was the Secy to the committee constituted
to consider applications for permission to
the issue of capital by companies in the
State. and an allowance of Rs 50/- pm.
was sanctioned to this officer for attending

for performing the duties of Secy to the
 committee referred to above. This arrange-
 ment continued till Oct. 1948, when the
 Hon'ble City Municipalities and Kuzrai, who
 is the chairman of the Capital Issues com-
 mittee, intimated that the work relating
 to Capital Issues chiefly pertains to the
 floating of Joint Stock Companies, which
 is being dealt with in the Spl. Rev. Branch
 and that the work relating to Capital Issues
 may be dealt with in the Spl. Rev. Br. itself,
 the Asst. Secy of which would be Secy of the
 Capital Issues Committee. Orders were accord-
 ingly issued in G.O. No. 2425/CB-131-48-1, dated
 9.10.48. Sri G. A. Narayana Saheb, Asst. Secy to Govt.,
 Spl. Rev. Br. was entrusted with this item of work
 and the allowance of Rs 50/- per month was being
 drawn by him.

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"Q"

17) In May 1949, in the interest of work,
 Sri T. Channabasaiah, Asst. Secy, Spl. Rev. Br.
 was posted as Asst. Secy, Spl. Rev. Br. and Sri
 G. A. Narayana Saheb, Asst. Secy, Spl. Rev. Br. was

Representation of Sri T. Channabasappa, Asst. Secy to Govt

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one of the grounds for the grant of an
allowance.

20) The work relating to the House
Rent control is a recent ^{item of} addition to
the work of the Asst. Secy, Rev. Br. They
are mostly appeals & that come up to
Govt, on the orders passed by the
Labour Commr who is the Chief House
Rent Controller. It appears necessary
to call for information as to number
of House Rent ~~Control~~ Control cases
so far instituted to see whether
there has been decided increase of
work on this score. If approved, the
information on that point will be called
for.

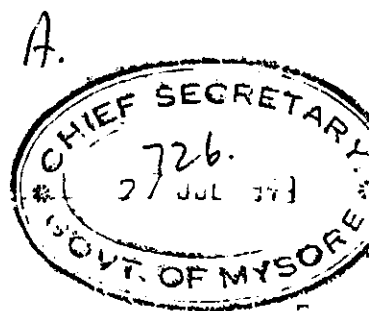
Chief Secy)

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A. may be done.

As the reason for taking away
the Capital issue Committee work
from the Asst. Fin. Secy and giving
it to the Asst. Secy, S.R. Branch
was because the Asst. Secy, S.R.
was dealing with the allied work
of Joint Stock Companies, the same
reasoning should hold good now also,
and the present Asst. Secy, S.R.
Branch shd. continue to deal with
Capital issue work; there does not
seem to be any reason why it should
be carried by the previous Asst. Secy.



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was passed as - Asst Secy, Riv. Branch. When these transfers were suggested the Secy to Govt, Riv. Dept. noted that Sri Narayana Surti who was in charge of Capital Issues Committee, would continue to be in charge of that work even as Asst Secy, Riv. Branch. This proposal was accepted and orders have been issued accordingly.

18) Sri Narayana Surti was transferred from the charge of the Spl. Riv. Br to the charge of the Riv. Br. not at his ^{own} seeking and it has been noted in the interests of work. He cannot, therefore, be made to forego the allowance and suffer financially. ~~and~~ In the above circumstances, the request of Sri Channa Hasawappa to appoint him as Secy of the Capital Issues Committee and to permit him to draw the allowance of Rs 500 per m. cannot perhaps be complied with.

Re: (2)

19) The Asst Secy, Riv. Br. has been in charge of the War Section ever since its creation and it is not an addl work entrusted to the Asst Secy, Riv. Br. Besides with the cessation of hostilities there may not be much work ~~in the War Section~~ in the War Section and this cannot be considered as

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PR, to the new post which he
holds now.

Routine note calling
from his way section
for his information,
as per para 21 supra
is put up for approval.

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Issue
3/8/49

3.8.49
particulars since
received and placed
below.

3/8/49

Submitted.

23 The following particulars regarding the
number of cases relating to H.R.C.O. have been
received from his way section (vide Routine Note)

year.

No of revision petitions

received and disposed of.

(1) 1947-48

1948-49

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(2) From 1st Jan 49 till now.

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24 Submitted with reference to para-21 supra.

Chief Secy)

25) xmr
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26) The work relating to
House Rent Control orders
is certainly not heavy. It comes to
hardly 2 cases on an average
per month.

27) This representation may
however be kept by, if appd. like
the other file re. disciplinary action
against this officer is disposed of.

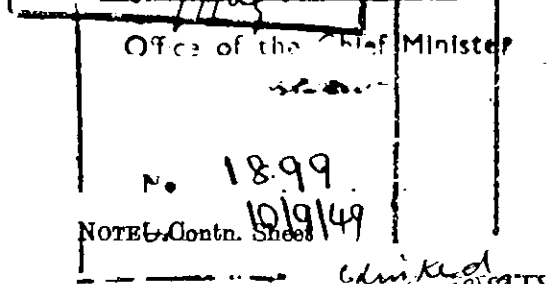
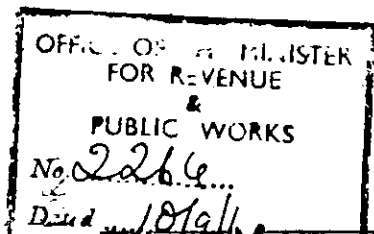
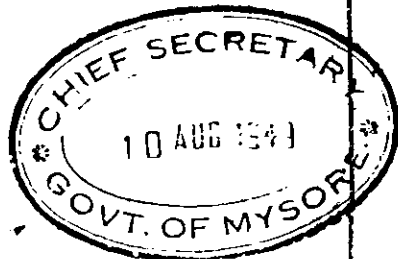
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Min. Rev.
Chief Min.
The Joint Secy
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may be linked with the other file.
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Honourable The Chief Minister

Office of the Chief Minister	
No. 4887	
Date of Receipt 5.5.49	Submitted
Date of Return	

INTERVIEW MEMO.

I am not provided with an S.P.T. vacancy in the General and Revenue Secretariat as an Assistant Secretary, and I have been drawing only Rs.250/- p.m. (including the High Price Allowance) from 28-8-1948 since I took charge in the Secretariat (on the basis of the substantive pay plus 1/5 of the minimum of Rs.300/ as per M.S.R. provisions). Besides, I am not getting any allowance for the additional work of the House Rent Control and War Surplus Sections attached to me.

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I request that the question of providing me with an S.P.T. vacancy (along with the cases of other Assistant Secretaries of the G.R.S.) now pending with the Cabinet may kindly be taken up urgently and disposed of in view of the difficulties I am experiencing for want of sufficient pay for maintaining myself and my family, in these hard days, in the way expected of me. If that is done, I will atleast get the minimum pay of Rs.300/- (of the revised grade of Rs.300-25-500).

Chief sec)
A. Is this pending?
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I may also kindly be given a duty allowance of Rs.50/-p.m. for the additional work of H.R.C. and War Sections (as in other cases of Assistant and Under Secretaries of other branches). I submit that Non-civil Service Assistant Secretaries are not given this Duty Allowance of Rs.50/-p.m. and the Civil Service Assistant Secretaries are given it automatically after they take charge of their offices.

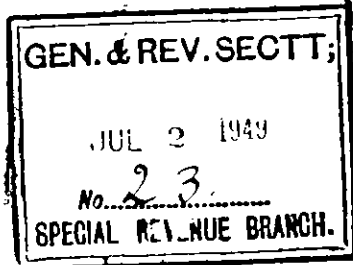


Bangalore,
Dated 4-5-1949

Uthamaiah
Assistant Secretary,
Revenue, Muzrai, H.R.C. & War Sections,
General & Revenue Secretariat.

Please put up previous & cancelled papers we need. Just. keep. 115
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The following two representations submitted in April 1949 and 13th June 1949 respectively may kindly be perused and favourable orders passed as the present pay of Rs.180 plus A.A. of 60 :240/- is quite inadequate for maintaining my family of ten souls in Bangalore in these days as the cost of living index has gone up to nearly 400% to 480%.

On the first of the Representations, the Hon'ble the Law Minister was kind enough to minute favourably re: the allowance of Rs.50/- p.m. to be paid to me from 28-3-1948 for doing the extra work of the H.R.C. and War Surplus Sections in addition to the heavy work of the Revenue and Muzrai Departments. I submit that the request was not unusual as other colleagues of mine have been getting various allowances for additional workless onerous in kind and volume.

The second representation was re: the transfer of the allowance of Rs.50/- p.m. given to the work of the Capital Issues Committee which was in the Financial Branch to the Revenue Branch depriving me that allowance for no fault of mine. I may be permitted to state that the work of the Revenue Branch is certainly heavier in kind and volume than that in the Special Revenue Branch. Such being the case there was no justifications for the change made in the memo dated 1-6-49 re: the inter-transfer of the two Assistant Secretaries of the Revenue and Special Revenue Branches.

I therefore request that the two representations may kindly be considered favourably and αx

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orders passed enabling me to get the allowance of Rs.50/- p.m. from 23-8-1948 to 13-6-1949 for the work of the H.R.C. and War Sections in the Revenue Branch and the allowance of Rs.50/- p.m. for the work of the Capital Issue Committee which may justly and kindly be retransferred to the Asst Secretary Special Revenue Branch where the work is really less as between the two Branches in question.

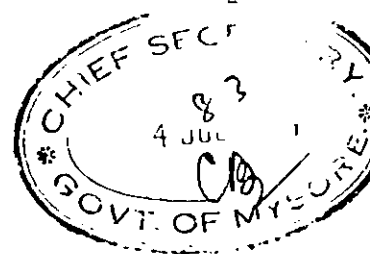
Hoping that my request will be complied with.

Chiamabasarappa
Asst Secretary
Epl Rev Branch
G.O.R Secy
2nd July 1949

(Chief Secy)

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In obedience to Memo No.9883-9905/C.B.534-48-1 dated 1st June 1949, I have given charge of the Revenue Branch and taken charge of the Special Revenue Branch. *Tran*

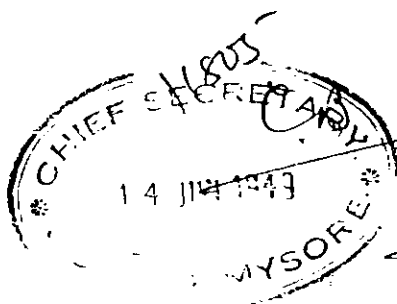
I may be permitted to state that the allowance of Rs.50 P.M. allowed for the work of the Capital Issues Committee referred to in the Memo may kindly be given, in justice and equity, to me for doing the same work in the Special Revenue Branch in view of the slender pay I get, i.e., Rs.180/- plus A.A. 60/- (Rs.240/-) P.M. I submit that it is not sufficient to lead the ordinary life expected of me. I may also be permitted to state that the minimum of Rs.300/- in the revised scale of Rs.300-25-500 is not yet given to me (as also other non-civil Service colleagues of mine).

Hoping ~~that~~ my request will be complied with.

T. Subramaniam
Assistant Secretary
Sp^l Revenue Branch
C.R.S.

Dated 13th June 1949.

Chief Secy



M. W. R. up early, together with 7/6. f. any.

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GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

No. 9883-9905/O.H.534-48-1

General and Revenue Secretariat,

Dated Bangalore, 1st June 1949.

OFFICIAL MEMORANDUM.

The following transfers of Officers in the cadre of Assistant Secretaries to Government are ordered with immediate effect:

	Present charge.	Charge to which posted.
1. Sri T. Channabasavappa, B.A., LL.B.,	Asst. Secretary, Revenue Branch	Asst. Secretary, Special Revenue Branch
2. Sri G.A. Narayana Setty, B.A., LL.B.,	Asst. Secretary, Special Revenue	Asst. Secretary, Revenue Branch

Sri G.A. Narayana Setty will continue to be Secretary to the Committee for the issue of capital by Companies, as Assistant Secretary, Revenue Branch.

By Order,

D. M. Ramakrishnaiah
For Chief Secretary to Government.

The Secretaries to Government,
The Comptroller to Government,
The Asst. Secretaries to Government.

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Routine Notes.

[To be used only for notes, requisitions, etc., not intended for permanent record.]

The way Section is requested to put up the papers, if any, of Sri. T. Channabasappa for the grant of an allowance of Rs. 50/- p.m. for the additional work of H.R.C. and way Section.

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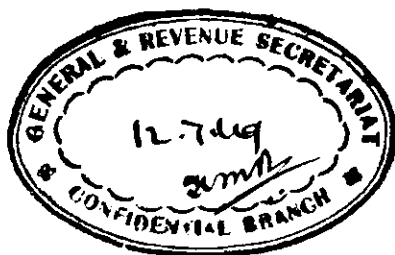
Asst. Secy
Rev. Branch
W/c.

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The previous paper is placed below. For perusal before sending to C.B.

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Asst. Secy W/c
C.B.



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Interview Memo

SUBMITTED TO THE HON'BLE MINISTER FOR LAW,

AS I am not provided with an S.P.T. vacancy in the G.R.S. as an Assistant Secretary and as I have been drawing only Rs 250/- from 28-8-1948 (including the High price allowance) on the basis of the substantive pay plus 1/5th of the minimum of Rs 300/- as per M.S.R. provision and as I am not getting any allowance for the additional work of the House Rent Control & War Surplus attached to me, I request that the question of providing me with an S.P.T. vacancy (along with cases of other Assistant Secretaries in the G.R.S.) now pending with the Cabinet may kindly be taken up urgently and disposed of in view of the difficulty I am facing for want of sufficient pay for maintaining myself and my family in the way expected of me.

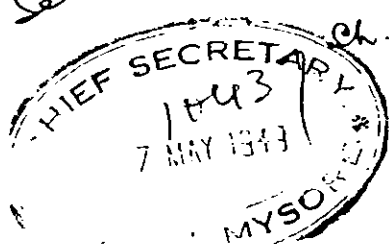
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(3) I have put in an approved service of 20 (18-1-30) twenty years and my colleagues are now getting more than Rs 400/- p.m. *T. Channabasappa*

ASSISTANT SECRETARY,
Rev., Muzrai, House Rent Control
& War Surplus.
(G.R.S.)

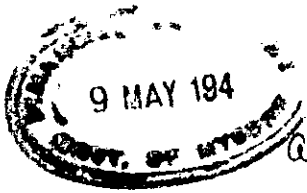
2nd May 1949.
Bangalore.

Ch. Seey
Seems to be reasonable.
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This has first to go to Ch. Seey. Are direct representations in order?

They are not in order. By saying a representation as an "Interview Memo" it does not become one. If this is to be treated



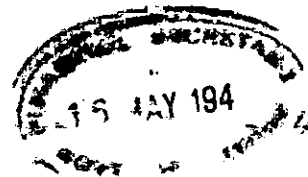
at a Memo of Interview, its utility
is over after the interview, & no further
action can be taken on it. If
it is a representation; it has to
be made in accordance with
rules.

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I agree.
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This may be returned to the Asst Secy

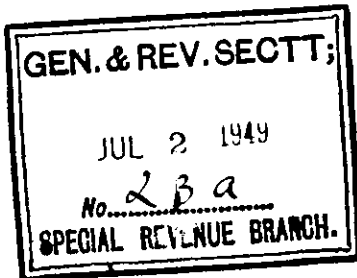
Rev. Br

Yes. 18/5/49

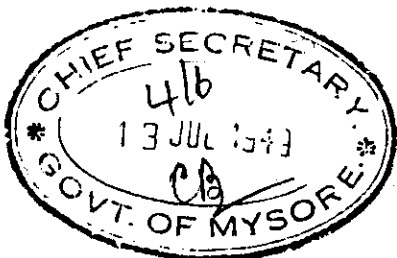
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Asst secy Rev. Br). 25/5

Submitted.



Chief Secy
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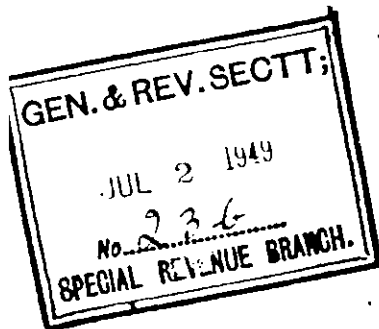
Hoping that my request will be complied with.

Office of the Minister for & L.D.	
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Date	2/7/49

T. Channabasaiah
Asst Secretary
Spl Rev Branch
— G + R Secy
2nd July 1949.

(Hon^{ble} Law Minister).

S u b m i t t e d.



The following two representations submitted in April 1949 and 13th June 1949 respectively may kindly be perused and favourable orders passed as the present pay of Rs.180 Plus A.A. of 60 ; 240/- is quite inadequate for maintaining my family of ten souls in Bangalore in these days as the cost of living index has gone up to nearly 400% to 450%.

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Hoping that my request will be complied with.

T. Channabasappa

Asst Secretary

Ep. R. S. Prasad

2nd July 1949

Hon^{ble} Minister for City Muzrai & Muz.

THE MINISTER FOR CITY	
MUNICIPALITY AND MUZRAI	
No.	44
Date	21/7/49

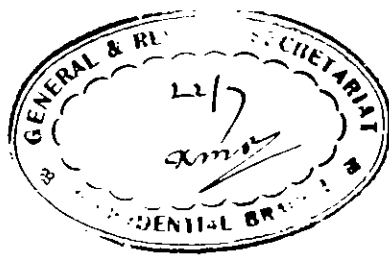
This may be submitted through the proper channel.

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for kindly placing this in file

A/S. W/c



[To be used only for notes, requisitions, etc., not intended for permanent record.]

The way Section is
requested to furnish the
particulars re: the number
of cases relating to House
rent control order received in
the Sect. since the order was issued.
~~1. Number of cases received~~
~~and of cases disposed~~

by
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Asst. Secy
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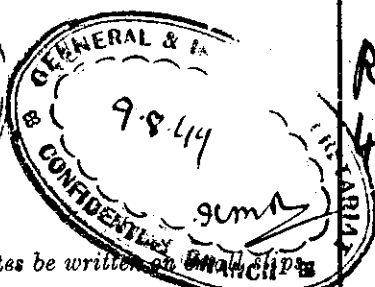
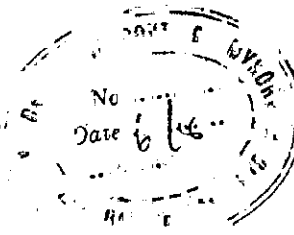
For
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Only from Aug. 1947
powers of revision were given
to Sect. by an amendment to
order + 262 ~~amendment~~
Revision petitions were received
here and disposed of for a
period years 47-48 + 48-49.

During the current year
ie from 1st Aug. 1948-9
14 petitions have been filed
to date. Every petition is
heard by the Law Mr +
disposed of. For personal
before sending to C.B.
for personal

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General Secy.

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Asst. Secy W.C.
C.B.

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Extract from Note regarding Appeal Petition of

Sri Varadaraja Mudaliar. (Examined by
of the Excise Department)

28. The note above seems to transgress the limits set by the Office Manual for case work, in both tone and content. Besides, an elaborate second noting like this is perhaps not called for at this stage.

29. The Excise Commissioner's letter dated 8th March flagged* and the records received with it are submitted as directed by the Dewan on the petition dated 9th January 1947 (P.U.D.)

SGN.
15-4-47

Intd: M.K.R.
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Revenue Secretary)

Reference:- Dewan's minute on P.U.D.II.

1. The reasons for dismissal are set forth at flag

02. The Excise Commissioner's order of dismissal passed on 13-12-1940 is for perusal (Flag 0). Flag X is the Secretariat Note relating to the representation of the dismissed official for reinstatement in service

Intd: H.N.P. 21/4

Minister for Home, }
and Dewan }

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I see nothing wrong in the note put up. In fact, one should be thankful for such a complete note. The case presents many unusual features. The destruction of the records is unfortunate. The suspicion based on access to the typewriter by the petitioner, without even verification regarding his capacity to type has been elevated to a proved fact of his authorship. The peti-

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tioner is reinstated. *...*

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"Extract"

(Sd) T. Chennabasappa, 11/8

Assistant Secretary to Government;
Special Revenue Branch

Submitted. *...*

The original file is put up, for kind perusal.
The above extract from it, is taken for kindly placing
the same in the file regarding my explanation for hav-
ing written a bonafide note on the facts as they stood
and in consonance with the remarks of the Administrative
Secretary (Excise) and the Honourable the Minister for
Public Health and Excise. I submit that the uncondi-
tional apology demanded of me without giving me an oppor-
tunity to have a look into the connected records for
submission to the authorities could not be given for
obvious reasons.

I had no prejudice against anybody when I wrote
the note on the available facts of the case.

The kind orders of the Dewan Saheb in my file
perhaps would not have been passed had the case
quoted above (if Sri Varadaraja Mudaliar, Excise Clerk,
Dismissed by the Excise Commissioner and reinstated by
the Dewan Saheb) been made available for his kind
reference along with that of mine. I may be permitted
to state that I have worked in the Revenue appeal
section from January 1930 ever since I joined Government

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There are other such
instances also.

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service (for ten years) and I have had occasion to give opinions in revenue appeals against the orders of several Revenue Commissioners.

It is very unfortunate that the Financial Secretary has misunderstood my note which is not original by itself but only a logical conclusion of the previous remarks and opinions expressed in the very same case (of Sri Narayana Moorthy, now First Assistant to the Excise Commissioner) by the Administrative (Revenue) Secretary and the Honourable the Minister for Public Health and Excise.

I submit that if an ordinary case worker could be allowed and also earn the encomium of the Dewan Sahab for it (to note in the way he has done in the file referred to above,) without fear or favour an Assistant Secretary to Government who is the Branch Officer, being responsible for the conduct of Government work in the several departments should be allowed to note bonafide in all cases without giving room to personal prejudices and in the manner provided for such noting in the "Office Manual" of the General and Revenue Secretariat. Such criticisms, as is found fault with (in the present case of mine) are freely given in the interest of justice, equity and fair play to the parties concerned in the Revenue Branch files - Revenue appeals and even in miscellaneous cases also. I have, for instance, given my frank and bonafide opinion without fear or favour in the following two cases:

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(i) Sir Mirza Ismail's case for the grant of Inam lands in Anekal Taluk under peculiar and unusual conditions.

(ii) Janab Ismail Sheriff's (now Labour Commissioner) case regarding the alienation of certain agricultural lands - (~~ultra~~ vires as it was) in Dodbylakhana village just in front of Sir K. P. Puttanna Chetty's Town Hall in the heart of Bangalore City Municipal area.

The above two files may kindly be got from the Revenue Branch, if deemed necessary, and perused as they have a direct bearing on the present issue, of my noting beyond the limits allowed for an Assistant Secretary to Government.

In the second of the two files referred to above, the Honourable the Chief Minister was pleased to order as follows:

"Put up references and the case may be discussed in a Council Meeting."

The file will show my predicament in the present case.

(1)
I once again submit that the note in question and my (2) action in not having handed over charge of the Revenue Branch for very good and valid reasons were justifiable in the circumstances noted below:

The peculiar circumstances were:

(i) Out of the total number of ^{about} 16 Assistant Secretaries and Under Secretaries to Government, I alone was singled out, for no fault of mine, and transferred from the Revenue Branch to the Special Revenue Branch even though I held the charge for hardly nine (9) months,

that too in the month of June 1949 (1st) during the session of the R.A. in the Town Hall.

(ii) Much to my dismay, the allowance of Rs.50/- per mensem given to the Branch Officer of the Special Revenue Branch for attending to the work of the Capital Issues Committee (on the ground of allied and connected departments under his charge) was taken away, in the very same memo of transfer, from him and the then Assistant Secretary was allowed to carry it with him as if it were a personal allowance, to the Revenue Branch and also as if the work of that Branch (Revenue) was less onerous than that of the Special Revenue Branch.

In these circumstances, the order of the Banigah and
Popular Government demanding of me, an unconditional
and written apology may kindly be reconsidered and the
question (on hand) be ordered to be dropped.

Chief Sec) $\frac{P}{16} 8/29$